



General Assembly

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***Proposed Bill No. 702***

LCO No. 969

Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by:  
SEN. BOUCHER, 26th Dist.

***AN ACT REQUIRING THE PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE TO STUDY  
THE FEASIBILITY OF USING THE UNCOMPENSATED CARE POOL  
FOR THE BENEFIT OF PRIVATE NURSING HOMES.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the joint standing committee of the General Assembly having
- 2 cognizance of matters relating to public health shall study the
- 3 feasibility of allowing private nursing homes to receive funds from the
- 4 uncompensated care pool in order to compensate such facilities for
- 5 costs incurred in caring for persons with no source of funding to pay
- 6 for the care received.

***Statement of Purpose:***

To study the feasibility of allowing private nursing homes access to funds in the uncompensated care pool.